Subject No 214.

Grant of extracts of Asare Patrikas and Tippanis, etc.

Mr. Vembar Venkatanarasimhachar of Pavagada Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The practice of giving extracts of Asare Patrikas and copies of Tippanis to parties on application to the Survey Department is now discontinued. If copies are granted people would settle their disputes amicably among themselves. The number of cases in Courts will consequently be diminished. So it is better to resume the old practice in this matter.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 213.

Subject No. 215.

Phoding of lands by the Revenue authorities.

Messrs. Chik Ramanna of Kolar Taluk, Subba Rao of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, Chinnappa, Srinivaspur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—(a) Phod rules originally framed allowed the subdivision of dry, wet and garden lands, the minimum area being 2 acres, 20 guntas and 10 guntas respectively. The minimum was raised in the recent rules. This is a source of hardship to poor raiyats. The old minimum extent may therefore be retained. The Deputy Commissioner may be empowered to permit the subdivision of lands without referring the Phod darkhasts to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

(b) The scale given below for the subdivision of survey numbers may be adopted.

Dry—2 acres. Wet— 1 acre. Garden-10 guntas.

Reply of Government.—*Vide* Subject No. 185.

Subject No. 216.

Stone bhands in place of Earthen mounds.

Mr. Venkatasamaiya of Chamarajnagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—As it has been found difficult to repair the boundary marks erected by mounds of earth at the corner of wet and garden lands on account of moisture, it is proposed that sized stones may be ordered to be substituted in such places in view to afford convenience to the raiyats concerned.

Reply of Government.—This cannot be done.

Subject No. 217.

Allotment of money for Takavi

Mr. C. Narayanaswami Chetty, Chikballapur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—When raiyats applied to the Amildar for Takavi advances they were told that a sum of Rs. 50 only had been allotted to each Taluk. Pray therefore that more money for Takavi may be given to each Taluk.

Reply of Government.—For wells alone advances may be given liberally. Deputy Commissioners will be given special instructions.

Subject No. 218.

Improvement of sericulture in the State.

The member Mr. Sowkar Mastan Sab was absent but the other members made the same representation.

Summary of discussion.—The Government may engage the services of men trained in Tata's workshop of silk for helping people in places where there is sericulture so that the work may be more efficiently done.

Reply of Government—This may be done when men may become available.

Subject No. 219.

Encouraging the cultivation of Mulberry etc.

Mr. Srinivasa Rao of Mysore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that the cultivation of mulberry, etc., may be kindly encouraged.

Withdrawn.